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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Attorney Docket 06510/118US1

First Named Inventor Mark Akeson

Application Number 09/466,994

Filing Date December 10, 1999

Group Art Unit 1643

Examiner Name N/A

Title Targeted Molecular Bar Codes

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

A request extension for extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$
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<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$

A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27:

☒ is enclosed.

☐ has already been filed in this application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$55.00 and any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0815.

Respectfully submitted,
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